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Dear Parents and Carers

I hope you are all keeping safe and well and are continuing to balance home schooling, your own work and life in general. I cannot quite believe that we are almost in July. This is the time of year when we would usually have sports day, our fantastic summer extravaganza and many more exciting things happening at school so it is all rather strange!

School is a lovely place to be but very quiet compared to our usual busy summer term, with the children enjoying being in their small bubbles.

As you may have heard via the news, school will be closing for the summer holidays for all pupils, including the children of Key Workers. Our last day at school will be Friday 17th July. Lime Trees will be opening for holiday club so please do contact them if you need a place for your child during the break.

School will return for staff training on 1st and 2nd September and for pupils on Thursday 3rd September.

At the moment, I have no further information regarding arrangements for reopening fully to all pupils. I am assuming (and hoping!) that we will be able to have all pupils back full time providing there is no spike in the number of infections between now and September. We have been told that there will be more guidance soon and I will keep you informed as soon as I have any more information. It seems that we may still be in 'bubbles' as we are currently, but with up to 30 children. Currently no bubbles can mix, and this includes staff. Each bubble has lunch at their desks, allocated playground space and separate break times and lunchtimes. I would imagine that this would continue, but with full classes. I am sure all will become clear very soon!

Something that we are hoping to be able to do before the end of the school year is to invite all children back to meet their new teacher. Because we are using all classrooms and each needs to be cleaned before a different group of children we will only be able to do this if we can be outside.

Therefore, we would like to invite all children to spend an hour with their new teacher and half of their class for an hour in the last week of term. Your child will be invited to one of two sessions, as we must keep groups 15 or less. Details to follow shortly. This will be a socially distanced 'circle time' outside so that we can maintain our bubbles.

Detail as follows:

The Class refers to the children's year group from September 2020.

Class 1(Mrs Bulmer)

Friday 17th July

9.30-10.30 *or*

10.45- 11.45

Class 2 (Mrs Bradley and Mr Lee)

Friday 17th July

9.30-10.30

Class 3 (Mrs Carter)

Tuesday 14th July

9.30 - 10.30 *or*

10.45- 11.45

Class 4 (Mrs Simpson)

Friday 17th July

1-2pm *or*

2.15-3.15pm

Class 5 (Miss Jones)

Thursday 16th July

9.15-10.15 *or*

10.45- 11.45

Class 6 (Miss Woodward)

Wednesday 15th July

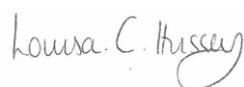
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We hope this will give the children a chance to see their friends and meet their new teacher so they can look forward to September. It is, of course, absolutely your decision whether or not to send your child to school for the visit. Some identified children may also receive additional contact from their new teacher. These will be the children who would usually have some additional transition time were we able to be at school under normal circumstances. Finally, we would like to invite all of our year 6 children back for a socially distanced farewell for some of the afternoon on Wednesday 15th July. Again, this will only be possible if we have good weather. Detail to follow soon.

I hope you are keeping safe, happy and well.

Kind regards



Miss Hussey

Head Teacher